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1. The Deutsche Celluloid-Fabrik, Eilenburg, is located on the east bank of the Mulde River outside Eilenburg. It consists of Werk I north of the Eilenburg-Torgau road, and Werk II south of it.
2. Werk I is engaged in the manufacture of a plastic known as "Decilit", which is produced in various sizes and thicknesses, including some very large plates reputed to be designed for aircraft cockpit covers.
3. Werk II is a hydrogen peroxide plant under the direction of two Russian engineers. Work began on 20 September 1948 on the installation of some new machinery, which was to be put into operation in mid-October 1948. The plant's equipment operates at a maximum pressure of five atmospheres and makes some use of platinum, which is in short supply. The output of hydrogen peroxide has recently been stored at the works instead of being removed by train as it normally is.
4. The total payroll of the plant is about 1,500, but the distribution between the two sections is not known. In Werk I three shifts are worked, but this is not believed to be the case in Werk II.

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